

# FAX TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET

**CONLEY ROSE, P.C.  
600 Travis, Suite 7100  
Houston, Texas 77002**

Fax Number: (713) 238-8008  
Telephone Number: (713) 238-8000

ORIGINAL WILL FOLLOW VIA:

<input type="checkbox"/>	MAIL
<input type="checkbox"/>	INTERNATIONAL AIRMAIL
<input type="checkbox"/>	COURIER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WILL <u>NOT</u> FOLLOW
<input type="checkbox"/>	HAND DELIVERY
<input type="checkbox"/>	WITH ENCLOSURE(S)
<input type="checkbox"/>	WITHOUT ENCLOSURE(S)

**PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING PAGES IMMEDIATELY TO:**

**NAME:**

**FIRM: U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

**CITY: ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA**

**APR 07 2004**

**FAX NO: (703) 872-9306**

**OFFICIAL**

**REMARKS:** Serial No. 10/734, 938 filed 12/12/2003  
Attached hereto is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449 (2 p.) for filing with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. All of the cited references are issued U.S. patents, therefore, copies are not attached. Please acknowledge receipt of this facsimile.

Total Number of Pages (Including This One): **FOUR (4)**

**FROM:** Jonathan M. Harris, Direct Dial No. (713) 238-8045

**DATE:** April 7, 2004

**CLIENT/MATTER NO.** 200300687-1 (2162-18800)

**IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE ALL THE PAGES,  
PLEASE CALL BACK AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

*This facsimile, and the information it contains, is intended to be a confidential communication only to the person or entity to whom it is addressed. If you have received this facsimile in error, please notify us by telephone at the above telephone number and return the original to this office by mail.*

HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY  
Intellectual Property Administration  
P. O. Box 272400  
Fort Collins, Colorado 80527-2400

## PATENT APPLICATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.

2003008871

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
APR 07 2004  
CENT

IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Lee W. ATKINSON et al.

Confirmation No.:

Application No.: 10/734,938

Examiner:

Filing Date: 12/12/2003

Group Art Unit:

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR POWER MANAGEMENT WHEN AN OPERATING VOLTAGE  
IS BETWEEN TWO THRESHOLDS

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted:

- under 37 CFR 1.97(b), or  
(Within three months of filing national application; or date of entry of national application; or before mailing date of first office action on the merits; whichever occurs last)
- under 37 CFR 1.97 (c) together with either a:  
( ) Statement under 37 CFR 1.97(e), or  
( ) a \$180.00 fee under 37 CFR 1.17(p), or  
(After the CFR 1.97 (b) time period, but before final action or notice of allowance, whichever occurs first)
- under 37 CFR 1.97 (d) together with a:  
( ) Statement under 37 CFR 1.97(e)(1) or (2), and  
( ) a \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).  
(Filed after final action, a notice of allowance, on or before payment of the issue fee)

Please charge to Deposit Account 08-2025 the sum of \$0.00. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

Applicant(s) submit herewith Form PTO 1449 - Information Disclosure Statement together with any required copies of patents, publications or other information of which applicant(s) are aware, which applicant(s) believe(s) may be material to the examination of this application and for which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

A concise explanation of the relevance of foreign language patents, foreign language publications and other foreign language information listed on PTO Form 1449, as presently understood by the individual(s) designated in 37 CFR 1.56 (c) most knowledgeable about the content is given on the attached sheet, or where a foreign language patent is cited in a search report or other action by a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, an English language version of the search report or action which indicates the degree of relevance found by the foreign office is listed on form PTO 1449 and is enclosed herewith.

It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application.

- I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Date of Deposit: \_\_\_\_\_  
OR  
 I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office facsimile number 703-672-9308 on 04/07/2004  
Number of pages: 3

Typed Name Christina L. Paz

Signature: Christina L. Paz

Respectfully submitted,

Lee W. ATKINSON et al.

By Jonathan M. Harris

Jonathan M. Harris

Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)  
Reg. No. 44,144

Date: 04/07/2004

## PATENT APPLICATION

Sheet 1 of 2

FORM PTO-1449

LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR  
APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT  
(Use several sheets if necessary)

ATTY. DOCKET NO.	APPLICATION NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
200300687-1	10/734,938	
APPLICANT		
Lee W. ATKINSON et al.		
FILING DATE	GROUP	
12/12/2003		

## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	NAME	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages or Figures Appear
1A	5,991,883	11/1999	Atkinson	
1B	5,524,249	01/1994	Suboh	
1C	5,781,768	03/1996	Jones	
1D	6,078,319	06/2000	Bril et al.	
1E	4,670,837	06/1987	Sheets	
1F	5,021,679	06/1991	Fairbanks et al.	
1G	5,153,535	10/1992	Fairbanks et al.	
1H	6,029,249	02/2000	Atkinson	
1I	5,799,198	08/1998	Fung	
1J	5,274,827	12/1993	Haggerty et al.	
1K	5,442,794	08/1995	Wisor et al.	

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	NAME OF PATENTEE OR APPLICANT	Pages/Columns/Lines Where Relevant Passages/Figures Appear	Check if Translation attached
1L					
1M					
1N					
1O					
1P					

## OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

1Q	
1R	
1S	

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

PATENT APPLICATION  
Sheet 2 of 2

FORM PTO-1449

LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR  
APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

ATTY. DOCKET NO. <b>200300687-1</b>	APPLICATION NO. <b>10/734,938</b>	CONFIRMATION NO.
APPLICANT	<b>Lee W. ATKINSON et al.</b>	
FILING DATE	<b>12/12/2003</b>	
GROUP		

## REFERENCE DESIGNATION

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	NAME	Pages, Columns, Lines Where Relevant Passages or Figures Appear
1A	5,812,860	08/1998	Harden et al.	
1B				
1C				
1D				
1E				
1F				
1G				
1H				
1I				
1J				
1K				

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE	NAME OF PATENTEE OR APPLICANT	Pages/Columns/Lines Where Relevant Passages/Figures Appear	Check if Translation attached
1L					
1M					
1N					
1O					
1P					

## OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

1Q	
1R	
1S	

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED